

# **Community Service Grant Program**

#### What is the CSG Program?

The Community Service Grant (CSG) Program is an opportunity for Mecklenburg County to partner with nonprofit organizations by providing a grant that is awarded through a competitive application process.

### Who Can Apply?

Nonprofit organizations that serve Mecklenburg County residents. In addition to the eligibility requirements, grant awards are often driven by how well the applicant's program aligns to the County's Strategic Business Plans, the Board of County Commissioners' priorities and the availability of funds.

#### **Eligibility**

- ☐ Serve Mecklenburg County residents
- □ 501(c)(3) nonprofit designation
- ☐ Independently audited financials by a CPA
- ☐ Diversified workforce documentation (EEO policy)
- □ Professional membership
- ☐ Registered with the Secretary of State as active
- ☐ Clearly contribute to one of the four goal areas

## **Application Period**

November 1 – December 5, 2022

#### Four Goal Areas:

- Connected Community
- Economic Opportunities
- W Healthy Community
- Safe Community

## **How Long Does the Grant Last?**

Grants last for a period of one year. Programs (not organizations) that are awarded funding for three consecutive fiscal years will be sunset from the CSG program and, if an application is submitted for the following year, consideration will be given for a vendor relationship within a Mecklenburg County department.

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### **Additional Information**

CSG Program and Information Session: <a href="https://meck.co/2PwLSgo">https://meck.co/2PwLSgo</a>

Strategic Business Plan: https://meck.co/3EiDv4n

